

Lafayette Parks & Recreation FUN²⁰¹⁶GUIDE



*"The possibilities
are endless!"*



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Welcome!

The Lafayette Parks Department operates and maintains nearly 700 acres of park land within the City of Lafayette. Providing and preserving parks and open green space enhances the desirability of our community and contributes to the safety and health of all Lafayette residents.

Our Mission

The Lafayette Parks and Recreation Department maintains quality park and recreation facilities and services, and facilitates leisure opportunities so that all citizens may receive:

Personal Benefits in the form of physical fitness, relaxation, rest, and revitalization.

Social Benefits in the form of stronger and healthier families, ethnic and cultural harmony, reduced anti-social behavior, and enriched lives for persons with disabilities.

Environmental Benefits in the form of a green and tree-filled city, habitat for native plants and animals, and open, protected green space.

Economic Benefits in the form of more productive and healthier citizens, increased tourism, and contributions to the quality of life sought by business and industry.

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Columbian Park Zoo	765-807-1540
McAllister Center	765-807-1360
Rentals	765-807-1500
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Tropicanoe Cove	765-807-1531
Vinton Pool	765-807-0035

Visit Lafayette Parks & Recreation

The Parks Administrative Office is located at:

1915 Scott Street
Lafayette, IN 47904

Administrative Office Holiday Closings

New Year's Day	January 1, 2016
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	January 18, 2016
Presidents Day	February 15, 2016
Good Friday	March 25, 2016
Primary Election Day	May 3, 2016
Memorial Day	May 30, 2016
Independence Day	July 4, 2016
Labor Day	September 5, 2016
Election Day	November 8, 2016
Veterans Day	November 11, 2016
Thanksgiving	November 24-25, 2016
Christmas	December 23 & 26, 2016



Lafayette Parks and Recreation

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Volunteer

Interested in volunteering with the Parks Department? Let us know! Volunteers assist with parks beautification, trails maintenance, and special events.

To volunteer with Lafayette Parks & Recreation, email parksvolunteers@lafayette.in.gov or call 765-807-1500 for more information.

Donate

Kids Can Scholarship Fund

Donate to Kids Can to make sure "Kids Can" play! With contributions from caring people like you, the Lafayette Parks Foundation established the Kids Can Scholarship Fund to ensure that every child in our community has the opportunity to benefit from the opportunities offered by Lafayette Parks and Recreation. Your donations help support several unique programs that help children in Greater Lafayette participate in safe and wholesome leisure activities regardless of their families' economic means or stability.

To give to the Kids Can Scholarship Fund, visit us on the web at www.lafayetteparks.org or call 765-807-1500 for more information.

Park Watch

The Neighborhood Park Watch Program was developed to ensure that your park is a safe place to play, take a leisurely walk, enjoy a picnic, and simply HAVE FUN! By keeping a watchful eye on nearby parks and reporting improper activities, local neighbors can help keep their parks healthy and wholesome places for all to enjoy.

For Emergencies: CALL 911

To report vandalism or broken equipment: Call 765-807-1522, or visit www.lafayetteparks.org and click on Action Center.

Parks Security: 765-491-2679 or 765-479-6109
To Report Crimes in Progress: 765-807-1200

Photo Policy

On occasion, Parks and Recreation Staff may take photos of participants in our programs, classes, and events, people in parks, or on park properties. Please be aware that these photos are for department use only and may be used in future catalogs, brochures, pamphlets, flyers, or social media.



**All tobacco products are
STRICTLY PROHIBITED in all
of our parks and facilities.**

Calendar of Events

January

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1	New Year's Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1
4	Summer Camp Registration Begins	8
4	Basketball Registration Deadline	7
7	Volleyball Registration Deadline	6
8	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
9	Little Cub Club	11
18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1

February

5	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
8	Spring Break Camp Registration Begins	8
13	Little Cub Club	11
13	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 6-8	11
15	President's Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1
20	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 8-11	11

March

4	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
7	Sporties for Shorties Basketball Registration Begins	7
12	Little Cub Club	11
12	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 6-8	11
19	Spring Egg Hunt (date subject to change)	9
19	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 8-11	11
21-25	McAllister Spring Break Camp	8
21-25	Zoo Spring Break Camp	12
25	Good Friday - OFFICES CLOSED	1

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1	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
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6	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
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12	Little Cub Club	11
21	Family Learn to Fish Day	9
23	McAllister Summer Camp Begins	8
28	Opening Day for Aquatics	16
30	Memorial Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1
31	Free Water Walking (evening)	17

June

1-30	McAllister Summer Camp (weekdays)	8
1-3	Little Cub Camp - Ages 3-5	12
3	Bedtime Zoo Stories	11
6-10	Young EDventurers Half-Day Camp - Ages 6-8	12
6-10	Young EDventurers Camp - Ages 8-11	13
7	Art in the Park	15
7	Free Water Walking (morning)	17
11	Little Cub Club	11
11	Kids Fishing Tournament	9
13-15	Little Cub Camp - Ages 3-5	12
13-17	Young EDventurers Camp - Ages 6-8	13
18	Free Water Walking (morning)	17
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20-24	Zoo Explorers Camp - Ages 12-14	13
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27-7/1	Young EDventurers Half-Day Camp - Ages 6-8	12
27-7/1	Young EDventurers Camp - Ages 8-11	13

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5	Sporties for Shorties Soccer Registration Begins	7
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18-22	Young EDventurers Camp - Ages 6-8	13
22	Mother's Day at Tropicanoe Cove	17
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25-29	Young EDventurers Half-Day Camp - Ages 6-8	12
25-29	Young EDventurers Camp - Ages 8-11	13
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27	Flag Football Registration at JHS	7
29	BFF Day at Tropicanoe Cove	17

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7	McAllister Holiday Camp Registration Begins	8
8	Election Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1
11	Veteran's Day - OFFICES CLOSED	1
12	Little Cub Club	11
12	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 6-8	11
17	Volleyball Registration Begins	6
19	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 8-11	11
24-25	Thanksgiving - OFFICES CLOSED	1
26	McAllister CLOSED	1

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10	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 6-8	11
26	McAllister Holiday Drop & Shop	9
17	Young EDventurers Workshop - Ages 8-11	11
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Calendar of Events Key

	McAllister Recreation Center Event
	Columbian Park Zoo Event
	Aquatics Event
	Administrative Office Event
	Parks Department Special Event

McAllister Recreation Center



McAllister Recreation Center features a cardio area, free-weight area, and a fitness studio. The cardio area is located above the gymnasium bleachers, and the free-weight area is located on the opposite side of the gym. These two spaces feature state-of-the-art weight and fitness equipment. There are over 30 pieces of equipment that await McAllister guests. Rubber grip weights, bench and leg presses, treadmills, upright bikes, circuit machines and elliptical machines are just a few of the pieces of equipment you can use to get a first-rate workout!

Regular Hours

Monday - Thursday: 7:00am - 9:00pm
Friday: 7:00am - 8:00pm
Saturday: 8:00am - 12:00pm
Sunday: Closed

Summer Hours

(Memorial Day-Labor Day)
Monday - Friday: 7:00am - 7:00pm
Saturday: 8:00am - 12:00pm
Sunday: Closed

Contact Information

Address: 2351 N 20th Street Lafayette, Indiana.
Phone: (765) 807-1360
E-mail: mcallister@lafayette.in.gov

Weight & Fitness Pass Fees

Daily Pass (16+)	\$2.00
Monthly Pass	\$30.00
6-Month Pass	\$150.00
Annual Pass	\$250.00

Add additional family members to your 6-month or year pass for just \$50 per person. Persons 16 & 17 years old may use the facilities; however, a parent/guardian consent form must be completed and signed by the parent/guardian at the McAllister office.

Center Pass

A Recreation Center Pass is available to youth ages 15 and younger who wish to use the McAllister Recreation Center gymnasium and game rooms. The cost of the Recreation Center Pass is \$5.00 per year. Center Passes are valid from January through December.

Adult Programs

Yoga Classes

Looking for an activity that's more than just a fitness program? Clear your mind, strengthen your body, and touch your spirit with the Three Little Yogis. Yoga combines asanas (physical postures) and pranayama (breath work) to achieve flexibility, strength, balance and calm. A range of classes is offered to best fit each student's needs. Private and semi-private lessons are available on request.

Hatha Yoga

Hatha yoga combines the postures and breathing techniques to achieve flexibility, strength, balance and calmness of mind.

Gentle Restorative Yoga

Those seeking relaxation, stress reduction, or deep stretch will enjoy the soothing pace of this hour long class. Props are used to support the body. Breath work, meditation, and deep relaxation are part of this class. This class is appropriate for all levels.

Vinyasa Flow Yoga

Poses are connected with breath to increase strength, endurance, and inner calm. This class is appropriate for beginners and advanced practitioners.

For more information regarding these classes or Three Little Yogis, visit their website at www.threelittleyogis.com or their Facebook page www.facebook.com/ThreeLittleYogis/.

To register for any of these classes, please visit the McAllister Center office or go to www.lafayetteparksreg.org to register online.

Adult Volleyball

Bump, Set, Spike! McAllister Recreation Center offers this program twice per year during the spring and fall. All games are held on Thursday evenings. A tournament is held at the end of each season to determine the league champion.

Spring Session

Registration Deadline: January 7
League Play: January 14-February 25
Tournament: March 3 & 10
Cost: \$125 per team

Fall Session

Registration Begins: August 29
Registration Deadline: September 29
League Play: October 6 - November 17
Tournament: December 1 & 8
Cost: \$125 per team

Summer and Fall Tennis

The Greater Lafayette Tennis Association conducts tennis classes (lessons and cardio tennis) for adults at various department tennis courts during the year. For more information, please contact Gerald Harrison at 765-463-2740.

McAllister Recreation Center

Youth Programs

Youth Basketball

This exciting program is offered for boys and girls ages 6-11. McAllister offers this awesome program twice a year. *Registration is capped at 180 participants, so be sure to sign up early!

Spring Session

Registration Deadline: January 4*

League Play: January 23 - March 12

Cost: \$40 per child

Fall Session

Registration Begins: August 29

Fall Season Registration Deadline: September 26*

League Play: October 22 - December 17

Cost: \$40 per child



Flag Football

Are you ready for some football? Flag Football is offered by McAllister Recreation Center and the Lafayette School Corporation for boys and girls ages 6-11. This program meets at Tecumseh Junior High School and Jefferson High School.

Registration Dates: July 5 - August 24

Open Registration at Jefferson High School Gym:

July 27 and August 24 at 6:30 pm

Practice: Begins September 8

League Play: September 11 - October 16

Cost: \$40 per child

Summer and Fall Tennis

Get your racquets ready because the Greater Lafayette Tennis Association offers tennis classes for youth of all ages at various department tennis courts during the year. For more information, please contact Gerald Harrison at 765-463-2740.

Track & Field

McAllister Recreation Center and the Lafayette School Corporation are offering this program to boys and girls ages 3-14. Contact Jeff High School Athletic Office to register at (765) 772-4711, or e-mail Dave Howell at dhowell@lsc.k12.in.us by May 1.

Dance Classes

WEST ACTIVE'S 'Pro-Arts Program' offers Dance Classes for ages 3 years to 5th grade. Kids can explore the expressive and energetic styles of Ballet, Jazz, Modern, or Creative Movement. A final recital will be held at the end of the session. Visit www.lafayette.in.gov/mcallister for program information.

Sporties for Shorties

The McAllister Center offers children ages 4-5 an opportunity to familiarize themselves with sports through the Sporties for Shorties program. The program was designed to introduce the basic fundamentals of soccer, t-ball, flag football and basketball through fun and exciting drills. Each program ends with each child receiving his or her first team jersey and participating in a live game!

Basketball

This program is offered to boys and girls ages 4-5 and focuses on introducing participants to basketball fundamentals such as dribbling and shooting.

Registration begins: March 7

Dates: April 4, 6, 11, 13 **Time:** 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Cost: \$25 per child

T-Ball

This recreational program is a hit for boys and girls ages 4-5, and focuses on teaching the basics of baseball.

Registration begins: April 11

Dates: May 9, 11, 16, 18 **Time:** 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Cost: \$25 per child

Soccer

This program is offered to boys and girls ages 4-5. The program includes an introduction to soccer and the fundamentals of the game.

Registration Begins: July 5

Date: July 25, 27 & August 1, 3 **Time:** 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Cost: \$25 per child

Flag Football

This exciting program is offered to boys and girls ages 4-5 and focuses on teaching the fundamentals of football.

Registration Begins: August 15

Dates: September 12, 14, 19, 21 **Time:** 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Cost: \$25 per child



McAllister Recreation Center



Camp Information

All camps are open to boys and girls ages 6-12. Registration is limited, so sign up early!

Spring Break Camp

Come to McAllister and enjoy a week full of arts and crafts, activities, and FUN! Campers have enjoyed magicians, movies, and many exciting activities at Spring Break Camp!

Registration Begins: February 8

Dates: March 21-25

Time: 7:30am - 5:30pm

Cost: \$70 per child

Summer Camp

Get your bathing suit ready! McAllister offers kids a chance to be active during summer break!

Registration begins: January 4

Dates: Monday - Friday

May 23-August 12

Time: 7:30am - 5:30pm

Registration Fee: In order to reserve your space, a non-refundable registration fee of \$25 per child is due at the time of registration. You are required to finalize dates by May 2, including before & after care.

Cost (weekly): \$100 per child

Cost (daily): \$35 per child

Orientation meeting: May 18 at 7:00 pm at McAllister (for campers and parents).

Fall Break Camp

Campers will participate in seasonal arts and crafts, field trips, and games.

Registration begins: September 19

Dates: October 28 and 31

Time: 7:30am - 5:30pm

Cost: \$40 per child

Holiday Camp

Give your kids something to celebrate over the holidays! Children will participate in a variety of activities, seasonal arts and crafts, and field trips.

Registration Begins: November 7

Week 1: December 19-22

Week 2: December 27-30

Time: 7:30am - 5:30pm

Cost: \$70 per child per week

Junior Counselor Program

The McAllister Recreation Center will be offering a Junior Counselor Program for the 2016 Summer Camp. For additional information, please contact the McAllister Office at 765-807-1360 or visit our website.



Free Fitness Programs

Walking Toward Wellness **FREE!**

Walking Toward Wellness is a Summer Wellness Series aimed at promoting healthy lifestyles for our community members while encouraging them to explore the park system's trails. Each weekly event will begin with a speaker briefly discussing various topics relating to health and wellness and will be followed by participants hiking along the beautiful trails of Lafayette. Healthy refreshments will be available at each event during this series. Dates and times for these events are to be determined. To find the most up-to-date information, visit www.lafayette.in.gov/mcallister.

Tails on the Trails **FREE!**

Tails on the Trails is a pet-friendly walking series designed to promote healthy living by allowing you and your furry friend to explore a few of the trails within the Lafayette Park system. Each weekly event will begin with a speaker or organization discussing pet topics, pet products, pet services, etc. Following the speaker, you and your pets will hike along the beautiful Lafayette Park Trails. Healthy refreshments will be available for both you and your pets at these events. Dates and times for these events are to be determined. To find the most up-to-date information, visit www.lafayette.in.gov/mcallister.

McAllister Recreation Center

Special Events

Spring Egg Hunt **FREE!**

The Spring Egg Hunt is fun for the whole family! This event includes face painting, sidewalk chalk, games, and a fun and exciting egg hunt for children ages 3-9.

Date: TBD

Time: 9:30 AM

Location: McAllister Recreation Center

Fee: FREE!

Family Learn to Fish **FREE!**

Lafayette Parks and the Department of Natural Resources are teaming up to teach you about Indiana fishing laws, how to catch fish, which ones to keep, and which ones to throw back. We will start at McAllister, then move to Munger Park for some fishing fun! Registration will be required, but this program is free!

Date: May 21

Times: TBD

Location: McAllister Center and Munger Park

Fee: FREE!

Kids' Fishing Day **FREE!**

Lafayette Parks, the Department of Natural Resources, and the Mid-North Indiana Chapter of Fishing Has No Boundaries provide all of the tools necessary to teach your youngsters the basics of fishing. The catch and release tournament is open to all children ages 3-14. All bait and equipment are provided. This event is FREE! Lunch is provided. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

2016 Fishing Tournament

Date: June 11

Times: 9:00 AM-Noon

Location: Munger Park

Fee: FREE!

FREE!

Summer Community Bowling

To kids under the age of 18, McAllister offers FREE bowling throughout the summer at participating bowling alleys. The program meets six times during the summer from 12:00pm- 3:00pm. Visit our website for updated information on dates and locations. www.lafayette.in.gov/mcallister

Holiday Drop and Shop

Last minute holiday shopping to finish? Drop your children off at the McAllister Recreation Center for an evening of entertainment so you can finish shopping or wrapping! Dinner will be provided, and ages 5-12 are welcome to participate.

Registration Begins: November 7

Fee: \$10 for one child/\$5 for each additional child in family

Date: TBD

Times: 5:30 pm - 9:00pm

Location: McAllister Recreation Center

Registration Information

Registration forms for all of our programs are available at McAllister Recreation Center, located at 2351 N 20th Street in Lafayette, or online at www.lafayette.in.gov/mcallister. Please plan to attend your class or activity unless you are otherwise notified. Your registration and payment must be received before the registration deadline.

Checks should be made payable to "Lafayette Parks and Recreation." We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express. Registrations will be processed in the order they are received. In the event the program or session you have registered for is full, you will be notified by phone so that you may choose another session or program, be placed on a waiting list, or request a refund.

Mail In Registration:

Simply complete the form and mail to Lafayette Parks and Recreation, ATTN: McAllister Recreation Center, 1915 Scott St., Lafayette, IN 47904. Registration and payment must be received before the deadline.

Online Registration:

You can now register from the comfort of your own home! Visit www.lafayetteparksreg.org

Walk-In Registration:

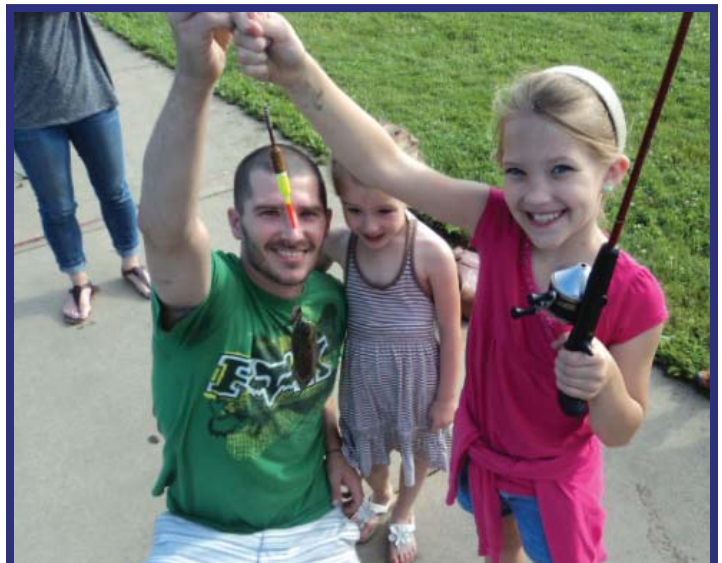
You may register in person at the McAllister Recreation Center office during regular business hours.

Contact Information

Address: 2351 N 20th Street Lafayette, Indiana.

Phone: (765) 807-1360

E-mail: mcallister@lafayette.in.gov



Columbian Park Zoo



Columbian Park Zoo is the second oldest zoo in Indiana. We are currently undergoing a multimillion dollar renovation project, so come and enjoy our newly designed exhibits!

Visitor Information

Open:

Saturday, April 23, 2016 – Saturday, October 15, 2016

Peak Season Hours:

10:00 am - 7:00 pm

Off-Peak Hours:

10:00 am - 4:30 pm

Admission:

FREE!

The entrance to Columbian Park Zoo is located in the heart of historic Columbian Park. Parking is available on Scott Street, Park Avenue, Wallace Avenue, and in the parking lot on Scott Street. Limited handicapped parking is available in the Zoo parking lot off Wallace Avenue.



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[@ColumbianPrkZoo](https://twitter.com/ColumbianPrkZoo)



Follow us on Instagram:
[@columbianprkzoo](https://instagram.com/columbianprkzoo)



New this year - don't miss live encounters with our Animal Ambassadors at the all-new EdZOOcation Station! This presentation area was generously sponsored by the Lafayette Kiwanis Club.

Columbian Park Zoo

Weekend Zoo Classes for Kids

Bedtime Zoo Stories

Join us on the first Friday of the month at 7:00pm for an animal-themed bedtime story. You'll also get the chance to meet one of the Zoo's friendliest Animal Ambassadors! Come in your most comfortable pajamas and don't forget your favorite stuffed animal! This program is for children ages 1-5 with an accompanying adult.

Fees: \$6 per child (one adult free)

\$10 for the whole family

2016 Bedtime Zoo Stories Schedule:

January 8	Hedgehog
February 5	Lizard
March 4	Frog
April 1	Sloth
May 6	Bugs
June 3	Tortoise
July 1	Parrot
August 5	Chicken
September 2	Guinea Pig
October 7	Snake
November 4	Rabbit
December 2	Armadillo

Little Cub Club

Children ages 3-5 can join us each month for a unique opportunity to learn about the world's wildlife up close and hands-on! Each month focuses on a different animal, exploring its world through personal contact, games, crafts, and age-appropriate science activities. Two sessions of Little Cub Club are offered each month. Sessions will be on the second Saturday of the month from 9:30am-10:30am and 11:30am-12:30pm.

Fees: \$12 per child per session.

2016 Little Cub Club Schedule:

January 9	Parrot Pals
February 13	All About Alligators
March 12	Parade of Pigs
April 9	Rodent Ramble
May 14	Marvelous Marsupials
June 11	Snakes Alive
July 9	Bugs are the Best!
August 13	Fantastic Frogs
September 10	Owls are a Hoot
October 8	Batty for Bats
November 12	We Love Lizards
December 10	Chickens Little (and Big!)

Young EDventurer Workshops

This unique series of enrichment workshops provides children with hands-on, in-depth exploration of some of nature's most fascinating topics. Workshops are offered in spring and fall, with sessions available for each of two age groups each season.

Sign up for the whole series and save!

Season passes for all three weekend zoo classes are available at discounted rates. For more information, visit our website: www.columbianparkzoo.org.

Young EDventurers Workshops Spring 2016 Series:

Ages 6-8 meet from 2:00pm – 4:00pm

February 13	Rainforest Tails
March 12	Animal Armor
April 9	Pollinator Magic

Ages 8-11 meet from 2:00pm – 4:00 pm

February 20	Up All Night
March 19	What's Wild?
April 16	Animals in Flight

Young EDventurers Workshops Fall 2016 Series:

Ages 6-8 meet from 2:00 pm – 4:00pm

October 8	Living Fossils
November 12	Animals on the Move
December 10	Fur, Glorious, Fur!

Ages 8-11 meet from 2:00pm – 4:00pm

October 15	Nature's Makeovers
November 19	Animal Behavior Basics
December 17	Symbiosis Study

Other Programs

The Columbian Park Zoo Education Department offers a variety of outreach programs for all ages: Animal Tales, Zoo Chats, and ZooMobiles. Our educators will bring the zoo to you! Programs are perfect for schools and young learners.

We offer a fun field trip package during the month of May, and tours throughout the summer. Call (765) 807-1546 or visit www.columbianparkzoo.org for more information on our exciting Zoo Education Programs!

Columbian Park Zoo

Zoo Spring Break Camp

Spring Break Camp

Ages 7 - 10

School is Out... So come hang out at Columbian Park Zoo! The Zoo will offer a spring break camp in 2016. A full-day (9:00 am - 4:00 pm) camp is offered during Tippecanoe and Lafayette School Corporation's spring break. Extended care is available from 7:30 - 9:00 am and 4:00-5:30pm for an additional \$20 per child per camp.

Fees: \$120 per child

2016 Spring Break Camp:

March 21-25	Animal Planet
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Go Wild! Birthday Parties

A birthday party can turn your house into a zoo — so why not just have it there? Perfect for children ages 3-12.

A Zoo party includes:

- Two hour room reservation in the Bill and Donna DeFouw Education Center.
- Live animal presentation featuring amazing Animal Ambassadors.
- Keepsake photo of each child with an animal.
- Photo frame craft for all participants.
- Zoo staff member assistance and clean-up.

Go Wild! Birthday Party fees:

Up to 12 participants \$150

Up to 20 participants \$195

*FOCPZ members receive a \$10 discount on any party package. Call (765)807-1546 for more information. Parties offered year-round. Please book 4-6 weeks in advance (8-12 weeks for peak summer season). View the full Terms and Conditions on our website at www.columbianparkzoo.org.

2016 Zoo Summer Camps

Our talented Zoo Educators will guide your child on the path to scientific and self-discovery through personal encounters with live Animal Ambassadors, experiments, games, crafts, and other age-appropriate activities. Camps are offered for a variety of groups, ages 3-14. All camps take place in the beautiful Bill and Donna Defouw Education Center. Extended care is available for Young EDventurer camps from 7:30am-9:00am and 4:00pm-5:30pm for a small additional fee.

Little Cub Camps

Ages 3 - 5

These 3-day minicamps are perfect for little ones. Camps are held from 9:00am-noon. No extended care is available.

Fees: \$60 per child per camp

2016 Little Cub Camps:

June 1-3	Animal Wrappers
June 13-15	Creepy Crawlies
July 5-7	Feeding Frenzy
July 18-20	Animal Homes
August 1-3	Radical Reptiles
August 15-17	Animal Kaleidoscope

Young EDventurer Half-Day Camps

Ages 6 - 8

These camps are held from 9:00am-noon. Extended care is available before camp only. An additional fee applies.

Fees: \$80 per child per camp

2016 Ages 6-8 Half-Day Camps:

June 6-10	Nature's Nursery
June 27-July 1	Animal Superheroes
July 11-15	Creatures of the Night
July 25-29	Call of the Wild
August 8-12	Rainforest Rangers



Columbian Park Zoo

More Zoo Summer Camps

Young EDventurer Full-Day Camps

Ages 6 - 8 and 8 - 11

These camps are held from 9:00am - 4:00pm. Extended care is available for an additional fee.

Fees: \$120 per child per camp.

2016 Ages 6-8 Full Day Camps:

June 13-17	Eco-Explorers
July 5-8*	Critter Twitter
July 18-22	The Human Animal

*4 day camp - \$96

2016 Ages 8-11 Full Day Camps:

June 6-10	Backyard Biology
June 27-July 1	Survivor: Planet Earth
July 11-15	Wild Design
July 25-29	Life on Earth
August 8-12	Wildlife Heroes

Zoo Explorers Camps

Ages 12 - 14

These camps are held from 9:00am- 4:00pm. No extended care is available.

Fees: \$135 per child per camp.

2016 Zoo Explorers Camps:

June 20-24	The Lightning Bug Thief (A camp inspired by the Percy Jackson book series!)
August 1-5	A Week in the Life of a Zookeeper



Registration Information

Registration forms for all programs are available at the Lafayette Parks Office at 1915 Scott Street in Lafayette, or on our website at www.columbianparkzoo.org. Any questions about the registration process can be directed to 765-807-1546.

- Due to the volume of registrations received, the Zoo does not send registration confirmations in the mail. Please plan to attend your class or activity unless you are otherwise notified.
- Your registration and payment must be received before the registration deadline.
- Checks should be made payable to: "Lafayette Parks and Recreation."
- We accept Visa and MasterCard
- Registrations will be processed in the order they are received.
- In the event that the program is full, you will be notified by phone so that you may choose another session or program, be placed on a waiting list, or request a refund.

Registration Options

Mail: Complete the form and mail to:

Columbian Park Zoo
1915 Scott Street
Lafayette, IN 47904

Registration and payment must be received before the deadline.

Fax: With a Visa or MasterCard number and expiration date written on it, you may fax us your completed registration form day or night! 765-807- 1547

Walk-In: You may register in person between 8:00am- 5:00pm at 1915 Scott Street, Lafayette, IN 47904.

Junior Zookeeper Program

The JZK Program is designed for students ages 14-17 who have a special interest in learning about animals and how zoos operate. It is a structured volunteer program. Students are expected to attend several training sessions in the spring and then work scheduled shifts for the duration of the summer. Students will have the opportunity to learn animal husbandry skills and conduct educational animal encounters at the zoo. Applications for summer programs are available in January of each year and due in late February. Call 765-807-1543 or visit www.columbianparkzoo.org for more information.

Columbian Park Zoo

Special Events

Columbian Park Zoo will host a variety of special events in 2016. Friends of Columbian Park Zoo will put on the following family-friendly events:

- Zoo Run Run 5k: July 16, Registration 6:30am, Race 8:00am
- Boo at the Zoo: October 26-28, 6:30pm-9:00pm



Please see additional listings and information on our website at www.columbianparkzoo.org.

The zoo is always looking for volunteers at events. Call (765) 807-1540 for information.

Wild Tykes Play Zone Amusement Area

Wild Tykes Play Zone focuses on preschool-aged children and features a few pieces of playground equipment and three historic kiddie rides: helicopters, small boats, and horse and buggies. In addition to the kiddie rides, the Columbian Park Express Train transports riders of all ages on an enjoyable 10 minute ride through Columbian Park.

The Columbian Park Express will operate from April 23-October 15, and the kiddie rides operate from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day. All rides operate during the Zoo's normal operating hours when weather permits. On most Wednesday nights during the summer months, the Zoo observes Family Night and offers discounts on the amusement rides. Tickets for the amusement rides and Columbian Park Express are available in the Zoo Gift Shop. Group discounts are available for the train ride only (minimum of 10 people) with advance notice. Please call (765) 807-1552 for additional information.

Rates:

Train Ride: \$2.00 per person; children 2 years of age and under are free.

Amusement Rides: \$1.50 per rider (Riders must be 42" or below in height and riders must not exceed posted weight. The age requirement for the helicopters is 3 years.)

Friends of Columbian Park Zoo

Friends of Columbian Park Zoo (FOCPZ) is a not-for-profit organization that was created in 1976 to raise funds and advocate support for Columbian Park Zoo.

FOCPZ has funded many exciting projects over the years including major exhibit renovations and educational interactive exhibit areas. The Board of Directors is actively involved in the Master Plan and fundraising for the new Zoo!

More information about Friends of Columbian Park Zoo is available on their website at www.friendsofcolumbianparkzoo.org.

Join FOCPZ Today!

Friends Members will receive the following:

- Z-MAIL, the FOCPZ monthly newsletter filled with all kinds of great zoo information
- Invitations to exclusive Friends events and programs
- Personalized membership card that can be used for a 10% discount at the Zoo Gift Shop as well as for discounted or free admission to over 40 zoos nationwide.
- Discounts on selected Columbian Park Zoo educational programs and special events.

For more information, or to join Friends of Columbian Park Zoo, please call (765) 807-1545, or visit www.columbianparkzoo.org.

Donate

Kids Can Scholarship Fund

Making sure "Kids Can" play! With contributions from caring people like you, the Lafayette Parks Foundation established the Kids Can Scholarship Fund to ensure that every child in our community has the opportunity to benefit from the series offered by Lafayette Parks and Recreation. Your donations help support several unique programs that help children in Greater Lafayette participate in safe and wholesome leisure activities regardless of their families' economic means or stability. To give to the Kids Can Scholarship Fund, visit us on the web at www.lafayetteparks.org or call (765) 807-1500 for more information.





For the past two years, the City of Lafayette Parks and Recreation has provided a unique art experience through our Art in the Park festival series on the Memorial Island, within historic Columbian Park in Lafayette. Art in the Park festivals showcase local and regional recognized fine arts and crafts, live art (including dancing and improv comedy), music from local talent, a variety of foods from various food vendors and fun activities for the kids—a unique art experience for the entire family! Every night Art in the Park is offered it proves to be a different experience as our local and regional talent will change each night.

The Art in the Park festivals provide fine arts and crafts such as art, photography, pottery, ceramics, wood, jewelry, metal, textiles and much more. Art pieces are sold by local and regional vendors featured at each event. Art in the Park is a family-friendly event, free to attend, and open to the public.



Interested in becoming a vendor for Art in the Park? We are seeking local artisans, musicians, and food vendors for all dates listed. Please contact us at artinthepark@lafayette.in.gov for more information.

Connect With Us!



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facebook.com/ArtInTheParkLafayette



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Follow us on Instagram:
[@artintheparklafayette](https://www.instagram.com/artintheparklafayette)



Art in the Park is offered the following dates:

June 7, 2016
June 21, 2016
July 12, 2016
July 26, 2016
August 9, 2016



Tropicanoe Cove



Kick off your shoes, grab your swimming suit and come experience Lafayette's unique family aquatic center. Located in Columbian Park along Main Street, Tropicanoe Cove offers the perfect blend of Hoosier hospitality and the pleasures of a watery tropical paradise. From the spiraling Banana Peel tube slide to the leisurely Cattail Crik, you are sure to find plenty of summer fun for the entire family!

Address: 1915 Scott St. Lafayette
Phone: 765-807-1531 During Season,
765-807-1500 Off Season

Hours of Operation

Hours: Daily 11:00am-6:00pm

Wednesdays: 11:00am-8:00pm

Sundays: 12:00pm-6:00pm

Dates: Memorial Day-Labor Day

Note: Back to school hours will begin in mid-August. Please check our website or call in advance to check hours.

Rates	Weekday	Weekend
Toddler (2 & under)	FREE	FREE
Under 48" tall	\$4.50	\$6.00
Over 48" tall	\$5.50	\$7.00
Just Watching	\$2.00	\$2.00

Season Passes

Initial Pass: \$100

Additional Family Members: \$30 each.

Season Pass includes 5 visits to Castaway Bay and/or Vinton Pool.

Family Night

Every Wednesday after 4 pm, rates are reduced to \$2.00 for those under 48" tall and \$3.00 for those over 48". Operating hours are extended until 8 pm.

Private Rental

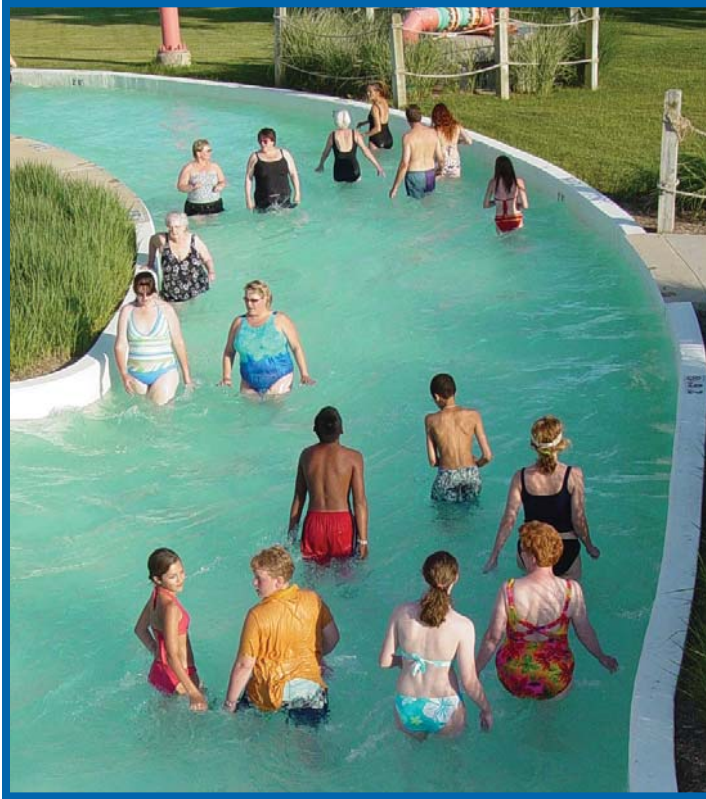
Have your own private pool party at Tropicanoe Cove! Rates are \$600.00 per hour with a 2 hour minimum. Private rentals are not available on Wednesday. Please call (765) 807-1500 for more information.

Tropicanoe Cove Features

- **Frog Pond:** With a beach-like entry, the main leisure pool offers over 168,000 gallons of crystal clear watery fun for everyone.
- **Sunfish Bay:** A fully-accessible interactive water playground designed with the little ones in mind.
- **Crawdad Corner:** Our wet and dry sand playground was created especially for the kids.
- **Cattail Crik:** Grab a tube for a relaxing trip along our gently flowing lazy river.
- **Banana Peel:** Enjoy the slippery sensation of the 300-foot twisting and turning tube slide.
- **Gator Walk:** Take the challenge of walking across the water on logs with only the aid of a cargo net - but beware of the gators!
- **Toucan Chute:** Two high-energy slides plunge you right into the Frog Pond.
- **Sand Storm:** No sunny tropical beach would be complete without a sand volleyball court!
- **Cove Cafe:** After a full day of swimming, you are sure to get hungry! Our concession area offers a wide variety of snacks and meals, including Arni's pizza and salads.
- **Seashell Shelter:** Located within Tropicanoe Cove, this picnic shelter is used for Cove birthday parties and other group functions.



Tropicanoe Cove



Water Walking

Tropicanoe Cove offers a unique fitness program for those who enjoy the outdoors. Walk with or against the current of our lazy river to customize your workout. The cost is \$3.00 per session, or purchase a season pass for \$50. Passes are available at Tropicanoe Cove and the Parks Administrative Office.

*Participants must be at least 12 years old. Rules and regulations are listed online: www.lafayette.in.gov/aquatics.

Schedule:

Monday - Friday Mornings	7:00am-8:00am 8:00am-9:00am
Monday - Tuesday, Thursday - Friday Evenings	6:15pm-7:00pm 7:00pm-7:45pm
Saturday Mornings	8:00am-9:00am

Try it for FREE! On three dates this summer, Lafayette Parks and Recreation will offer its popular water walking program at no expense.

Dates for Free Water Walking in 2016:

FREE!

Tuesday, May 31	6:15pm-7:00pm 7:00pm-7:45pm
Tuesday, June 7	7:00am-8:00am 8:00am-9:00am
Saturday, June 18	8:00am-9:00am

Birthday Parties

Make your Birthday a SPLASH! Celebrate your special day at Tropicanoe Cove. The Cove's SeaShell Shelter is the perfect place to hold the big event. Where else can you celebrate your birthday and then float down the Cattail Crick, brave the Gator Walk, and take a ride down the Banana Peel Slide?

Available Memorial Day-Labor Day
(some exclusions apply - call 807-1500 to book your party)
Call on or after April 1st 2016 to book for the 2016 Season!

Special Events

• Father's Day Fun: June 19

Enjoy special father/child activities and giveaways. All fathers will receive free admission with a paid child admission.

• Military Appreciation Day: July 4

Bring your military ID card and receive free admission. Thank you for your service!

• Grandparents Day: July 15

Spend quality time with your grandparents at the Cove! Grandparents get in for only \$2.00 with a paid child admission.

• Mother's Day: July 22

Celebrate Mother's Day by splashing in the sun! Enjoy mother/child activities and giveaways. All moms will receive free admission with a paid child admission.

• BFF Day: July 29

Summer would not be the same without your BFF. Join us for a day full of BFF activities just for two! Purchase one admission at full price and your BFF gets in for just \$4.00 before 4:00 p.m. BFF snack bar specials will be available too!

Lifeguard Certification Course

Want to be a lifeguard at our pools this summer? Check out our lifeguard certification program. If you're at least 15 years old and can pass some basic lifesaving and swimming drills (visit our website for more information on prerequisites), this is the program for you.

Date: To be determined (visit website)

Fees: \$175* (includes course, materials, and Red Cross Certification upon completion)

*If participant successfully completes the course, attains lifeguard certification, is hired by us, AND completes the full season of work, you will receive \$100 back from your fee.

Castaway Bay

An adventure is waiting for you at Castaway Bay! A beach-like entry, water basketball, and a bubble bench are just a few of the features that make up the aquatic center at Armstrong Park.

Hours of Operation

Daily: 12:00pm-6:00pm

Tuesdays: 12:00pm-8:00pm

Dates: Memorial Day - August 14, 2016

Rates	Daily
Toddler (2 & under)	FREE
Youth (age 3-17)	\$3.50
Adult (18+)	\$4.00
Just Watching	\$2.00

Evening Special

Save \$1.00 on all admissions after 4:00pm daily.

Family Night Special

Every Tuesday after 4:00pm, rates are reduced to just \$2.00 and hours are extended to 8:00pm.



Season Passes

Initial Pass: \$75.00

Additional Family Members: \$25.00 each

*Season Pass includes 5 visits to Tropicanae Cove or Vinton Pool.

Group Rates

Group rates are available for not-for-profit groups of ten or more from Tippecanoe County. Rates are just \$2.00 per person with one adult pass for every 10 youths. Group rates must be booked and paid for in advance. Call (765) 807-1500 to book your group.

Private Rental

Have your own private pool party at Castaway Bay! Rentals are not available on Tuesday. Please call (765) 807-1500 for more information.



Swimming Lessons

Swim America Swimming Lessons are offered at Castaway Bay on Beck Lane. Lessons are offered for children ages 3 and up.

Dates: To be determined (visit website)

Each session features morning or evening classes.

Swimming Lesson times (subject to change):

Monday - Thursday	9:30am, 10:05am, 10:40am, 11:15am
Monday, Wednesday - Friday	6:15pm, 6:45pm, 7:15pm

Cost: Visit website for pricing information.

Contact Jim Sharp: 765-427-8447, jsharp3761@aol.com

Get up-to-date information on swimming lessons at

www.lafayette.in.gov/aquatics.

Adult Swimming Lessons

"Miracle Swimming" adult swimming lessons will teach you to be in control in the water and prevent panic.

Dates: TBD at 8:00 pm





Vinton Pool features a beach-like entrance, double water slide, playful geysers, and large umbrellas.

Address: 3111 Prairie Lane
Phone: 765-807-0035 During Season, 765-807-1500 Off Season

Hours of Operation

Su, M, T, W, F, Sa: 12:00pm-6:00pm
Thursdays: 12:00pm-8:00pm
Dates: Memorial Day - August 7, 2016

Admission

Youth & Adult \$3.00
Toddler (2 & under) FREE

Evening Special

Admission is reduced to just \$1.50 after 4:00 pm daily.

Group Rates

Group rates are available for not-for-profit groups of 10 or more from Tippecanoe County. Groups must be from within Tippecanoe County. Rates are just \$1.50 per person with one adult pass for every 10 youth. Group rates are valid Monday through Friday only and exclude holidays. Group rates must be booked and paid for in advance. Call (765) 807-1500 to book your group.



Family Night Special

Every Thursday after 4:00 pm, rates are reduced to just \$1.25 and hours are extended until 8:00pm.

Season Passes

Initial Pass \$55
Additional Family Members: \$25 each
*Season Pass includes 5 visits to Tropicanae Cove or Castaway Bay.

Private Rental

Have your own private pool party at Vinton Pool! Rates are \$250.00 per hour with a 2 hour minimum. Private rentals are not available on Thursday. Please call (765) 807-1500 for more information.



Workreation

Workreation is a volunteer program for kids ages 7-17. The program offers children the chance to perform light cleaning and maintenance in the parks for one hour per day in exchange for a "Kids Can Pass." These can be used for admission to any of the aquatic facilities.

Workreation Schedule:

June 6 - August 5, 2016

Location	Day(s)	Time
Columbian Park	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9:30-10:30 am
Vinton Pool	Tuesday	10:30-11:30 am
Castaway Bay	Thursday	10:30-11:30 am

Registration forms can be found at www.lafayetteparks.org.

*Dates and time subject to change during the 2016 year.

Columbian Park

A recreational oasis centrally located in Lafayette, historic Columbian Park has been the place to enjoy quality leisure time with family and friends for over a century. Whether you want to cool off at the award-winning **Tropicanae Cove** or observe some wildlife at **Columbian Park Zoo**, you will find that Columbian Park offers a vast array of fun attractions for people of all ages!

SIA Playground

The innovative playground includes distinct areas specifically designed for children ranging from tots to teens and features a handicapped accessible playground. The SIA Playground is located near the corner of Park and Wallace Avenues. Adult supervision is recommended.



Wild Tykes Play Zone

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Rates:

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Amusement Rides: \$1.50 per rider (Riders must be 42" or below in height and riders must not exceed posted weight. The age requirement for the helicopters is 3 years.)

Columbian Park is a great place for a company picnic, family reunion, or any other gathering! The park is home to 18 reservable picnic shelters, plus Jenks' Rest and Rush Pavilion. Call us at (765) 807-1500 to plan your outing at Columbian Park!

Memorial Island

Memorial Island is in the middle of a major renovation. Please see the next page for information on this exciting project.

Loeb Stadium

Dedicated in 1940, Loeb Stadium has hosted numerous baseball games and other events over the years. Bert and June Loeb donated \$50,000 to construct the 3,500-seat stadium in honor of Solomon Loeb.

Originally called the Columbian Park Recreational Center, it was officially renamed as Loeb Stadium in 1971. Today, Loeb Stadium serves as the home field for Lafayette Jefferson High School. It also hosts IHSAA tournaments, American Legion baseball, and the annual Colt World Series.

Loeb Stadium is also the home of the NEW Lafayette Aviators - Prospect League baseball team. The 2016 season begins in June. Follow the progress of our new team at on social media (information below) and reserve your season tickets now at www.lafayettebaseball.com/reserve.



Mayor Roswarski with Dan Kuenzi, Senior Vice President of Operations for MKE Sports & Entertainment

Connect With The Lafayette Aviators!



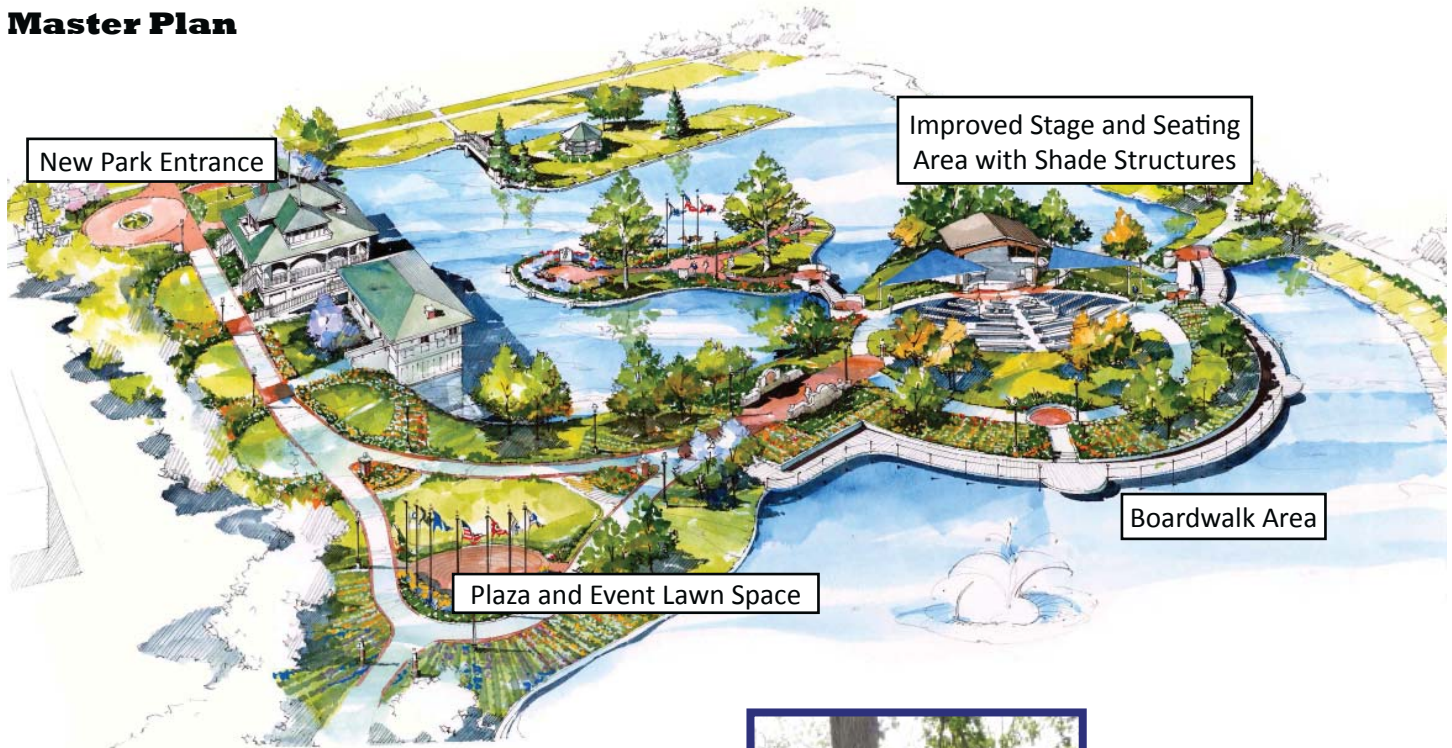
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Memorial Island

Master Plan



Memorial Island

Local patriotic and military organizations, led by the Veterans of Foreign War Post 1154, inspired the building of a memorial in Columbian Park to honor the brave men and women from Tippecanoe County who gave their lives defending our country. Dedicated in 1949, Memorial Island is now a gathering place for individuals and families to enjoy outdoor entertainment and learn about the history of Tippecanoe County's brave veterans.

Coming Improvements

After gathering input from local veteran's groups, stakeholders, and the public, the Lafayette Parks and Recreation department was proud to unveil the Memorial Island Master Plan in 2015. Phase I, which included improvements to the existing island and the addition of new memorials, was completed in 2015. Further improvements will be made in the next few years. Changes will include the following:

- Improved stage and seating areas with shade structures
- ADA accessibility to all parts of the island
- Sound and electrical improvements
- Lagoon shoreline enhancements and improvements
- New landscaping and green space
- Boardwalk area

We hope to begin construction on Phase II in Spring 2016. Please pardon our mess while we make these important improvements to Columbian Park.



A few of the beautiful memorials at Memorial Island.



Community Parks

Murdock Park

18th & Ferry Street

Conveniently located in the middle of the city, Murdock Park occupies 39 acres of urban forest. Featured is a 0.52-mile interpretive trail that allows visitors to identify nearly 40 varieties of trees located within the park. The sled run is a favorite wintertime attraction in Lafayette, entertaining kids and adults alike. A snow machine ensures that the perfect amount of white powder is available when cold temperatures prevail. Three consecutive days of freezing temperatures must occur before snow is made. Other attractions include tot and multi-age playgrounds, a newly redesigned 18-hole disc golf course, Brian Cardinal basketball court, youth softball field, grills, restrooms, and picnic areas. Two 50-seat picnic shelters are available to rent.

CAT Park and Soccer Fields

3630 McCarty Lane

In 2001, Caterpillar, Inc. and Lafayette Parks and Recreation made plans to turn 32 acres of land into CAT Park and Soccer Fields. CAT Park contains eight soccer fields and a restroom/concession building. Additional parking areas were added in 2005. Future plans for the park include walking trails, small picnic shelters, open green space, wildflower areas, and a playground.

Shamrock Park and Dog Park

Wabash Avenue

Nestled along the banks of the mighty Wabash River, Shamrock Park is located in the southwest portion of town. The 11-acre park is home to Lafayette's first dog park, which opened in July 2006. (For dog park information, please see page 23.) Also featured in the park are tot and multi-age playgrounds, roller hockey rink, basketball courts, grills, and a picnic area. A 50-seat shelter is available to rent. A small boat ramp provides free access to the river. Fishing is permitted on site; all state regulations apply.



Playground at Shamrock Park

Armstrong Park

9th Street & Beck Lane

Armstrong Park is beautifully landscaped park named in honor of astronaut and Purdue alumnus Neil Armstrong. Located on Lafayette's south side, the 30-acre park is a favorite destination for families. Walkers enjoy the 2/3 mile paved trail that surrounds a peaceful pond. The park has a multi-age playground, five lighted tennis courts, lighted basketball courts, three youth baseball fields, open green space and wildflower areas, and restrooms. Armstrong is also home to Castaway Bay. A 50-seat picnic shelter is available for rentals. Fishing is permitted on site; all state regulations apply.



Paved Walking Trail and Pond at Armstrong Park

Munger Park

3505 Greenbush Street

Munger Park is a 32-acre park located in the northeast portion of Lafayette. The park was named in recognition of a \$100,000 donation from Thomas and Alice Munger. It features a pond, one-mile paved trail, multi-age playground, grills, open green space, wildflower areas, and restrooms. A 100-seat picnic shelter is available for rent. Fishing is permitted on site; all state regulations apply.

McCaw Park

Union Street & Creasy Lane

Named in recognition of a \$75,000 donation from Bill and Michele McCaw, this popular park is located on the east side of Lafayette. The 26-acre site boasts tot and multi-age playgrounds, three lighted youth baseball fields, lighted basketball courts, three lighted tennis/pickleball courts, grills, open green space and wildflower areas, and restrooms. Two 50-seat picnic shelters are available to rent.

All of our community park trails have dog-waste bag dispensers and receptacles for your convenience. Please clean up after your dog!



Located adjacent to the Wabash River just minutes from downtown Lafayette, this attractive, tree-lined setting provides park patrons and their dogs with two large fenced areas for all dogs and a separate fenced area for small dogs. Park users will find a safe facility to exercise and socialize their canine companions off-leash.

Phone: (765) 490-7509

Email: dpagldoo@gmail.com

Address: 115 Sanford Street, Lafayette, IN 47905

Mailing Address: PO Box 4671, Lafayette, IN 47903-4671

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Membership Information

One Year Membership

Family and up to 3 dogs: \$60.00

Each additional dog: \$10.00

Annual Membership Requirements

- Signed membership application.
- Paper proof of rabies vaccinations from veterinarian.
- Dogs must be at least 4 months old.
- Children must be 12 years of age to enter the fenced area.

Membership information can be found at
www.shamrockdogpark.org.

Week Passes

Passes are \$10 and good Monday-Sunday

Week passes are available at: Buckles Feed Depot, 220 S. 4th St.

Visit the Dog Park Association of Greater Lafayette's website at www.shamrockdogpark.org for up-to-the-minute information on Free Play Days, Pooch Plunge, and other great dog-friendly events in our area!

Basic Dog Park Rules

- The Park should only be used by current members or week pass holders.
- Children under 12 are not permitted in the fenced area.
- Female dogs in heat are not permitted in the park.
- Puppies less than four months of age are not permitted in the park.
- You are liable for your dog and any damage or injuries that your dog inflicts on other dogs or persons.
- Dogs with communicable diseases and/or parasites are not permitted in the park. You are required to keep vaccinations updated with the Dog Park Association.
- Dogs known to exhibit vicious, fierce, aggressive, or dangerous behavior are not allowed in the park at any time.
- Dogs exhibiting unexpectedly aggressive behavior are to be removed from the premises immediately.
- Dogs must be leashed at all times when not in the fenced area.

Free Play Day

The Shamrock Dog Park will be open to non-members and members alike for free during these preview days. Dogs will get a chance to play with other dogs and their owners can mingle with fellow dog lovers. Memberships can be purchased onsite at each Dog Park Free Play Day, as well as at Buckles Feed Depot.

Dates for the Dog Park Free Play Days are scheduled throughout the year. Please visit our website: www.shamrockdogpark.org or like our Facebook page for updated information on these great events!

Pooch Plunge

The Fourth Annual Pooch Plunge will be held at Castaway Bay, August 16, 17, and 18 in 2016. This event is sponsored by DPAGL, and Lafayette Parks and Recreation, with proceeds benefiting the Dog Park Association.



Neighborhood Parks

Neighborhood Parks

New in 2016 - Sterling Heights Park

Harrington & Cheyenne Drives

Located in the Sterling Heights subdivision on Lafayette's south side, this one-acre park will be completed and ready for play in spring 2016. The park will feature a multi-age playground, swings, and picnic shelter.



Lafayette's Newest Park - Sterling Heights - Opening Spring 2016

Arlington Park

1700 Arlington Road

Located just north of Greenbush Street, this one-acre park was completely renovated in 2005. The park includes a multi-age playground, picnic shelter, tennis court, basketball court, and open green space.

South Tipp Park

3rd Street & Fountain Park

Located next to the Bauer Family Resources, this park has been recently renovated. The park includes two unique multi-age playgrounds, ½ basketball court, a picnic shelter, and amenities. Includes benches, drinking fountains, and sports mister.

Linnwood Park

15th & Greenbush Streets

This 1/2-acre park is home to a tot and multi-age playground, basketball court, and picnic shelter.

Stockton Park

Erie & Ferry Street

Located at the intersection of Erie and Ferry Street within the Stockton Crossing Neighborhood, it is the newest pocket park in Lafayette. The park includes green space, a shelter with picnic tables, swing, spring-rider for small children, drinking fountain and landscaping.

Centennial Park

6th and Brown Streets

This 1/2-acre park was renovated in 2007. Centennial Park is home to a tot and multi-age playground, 1/2 basketball court, and picnic shelter.

Kennedy Park

Beck Lane & Sequoya Drive

Near Miami Elementary on the south side of town, this seven-acre park includes a playground, soccer field, and open green space.

Hedgewood Park

Hedgewood & Beverly Lane

Located between Greenbush and Union Streets in the heart of the Hedgewood Neighborhood, this park provides one acre of open green space and a basic multi-age playground.

Hanna Park

18th & Hanna Streets

Across from Riggs Community Health Center and adjacent to Hanna Community Center, this park covers 2.2 acres. The park features unique playground equipment for 2-5 and 5-12 year olds, basketball court, grill, and picnic shelter.

North Darby Park

Darby Lane

In the Vinton Neighborhood, this 0.8- acre park is home to a multi-age playground, basketball court, and open green space.



Park Entrance at Darby Park

Riverfront Parks and Park Rules

Riverfront Parks

McAllister Park

North 9th Street

McAllister Park is named in recognition of the many generous contributions made by A.J. and Dorothy McAllister to the Lafayette Parks system. The scenic 350-acre park is located along the banks of the Wabash River. McAllister Park contains plenty of open green space, a model airplane strip, and portions of the Wabash Heritage Trail. A bike path along North 9th Street connects the city to the park. Fishing is permitted on site; all state regulations apply.

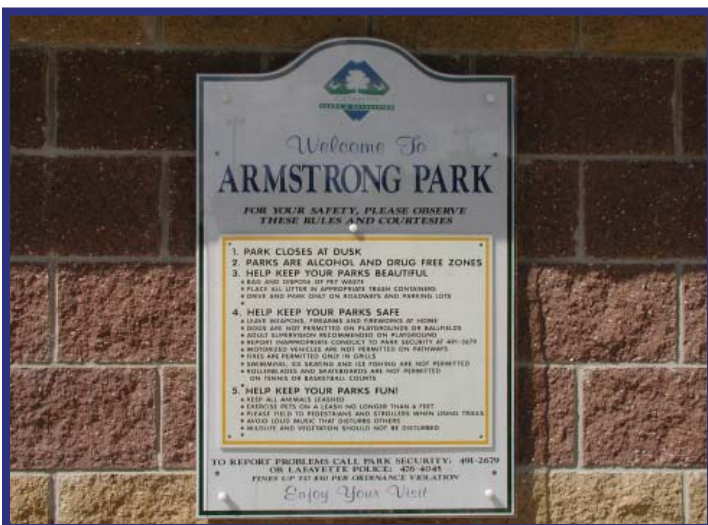


McAllister Park

Lyboubt Sports Park

1300 Canal Road

Named in honor of former Parks Superintendent Sam Lyboubt, this 52-acre park is located north of the Harrison Street bridge. A favorite destination for sporting enthusiasts, attractions include three lighted softball fields, basketball courts, horseshoe complex, sand volleyball court, picnic areas, and portions of the Wabash Heritage Trail. Public restrooms are available on site.



Park Rules

For your safety, please observe these rules and courtesies when using your Lafayette parks and recreational facilities:

1. Parks Close at Dusk (except for approved activities).

2. Parks Are Alcohol And Drug-Free Zones.

3. Help Keep Your Parks Beautiful.

- Bag and dispose of pet waste
- Place all litter in appropriate trash containers
- Wildlife and vegetation should not be disturbed

4. Help Keep Your Parks Safe.

- Dogs are not permitted on playgrounds
- Adult supervision is recommended on playgrounds
- Report all inappropriate conduct to Park Security by calling 765-491-2679 or 765-479-6109
- Overnight parking in parking lots is prohibited
- Kite flying is not permitted under power lines
- Swimming, wading, boating, ice skating, and ice fishing are not permitted in parks ponds and lagoons
- Drive and park only on roadways and in parking lots
- Motorized vehicles are not permitted on pathways and trails
- Fires are permitted only in grills

5. Help Keep Your Parks Fun!

- Keep all animals leashed
- Exercise pets on a leash no longer than 6 feet
- Avoid loud music that disturbs others
- Rollerblades and skateboards are not permitted on tennis and basketball courts, or on playgrounds or shelters

For Emergencies

CALL 911

To report vandalism or broken equipment, call 765-807-1522, or visit www.lafayetteparks.org and click on Action Center.

For Park Security, call (765) 491-2679, or (765) 479-6109.

To Report Crimes in Progress, call (765) 807-1200.

Discharge of Firearms

11.07.010 Lafayette Municipal Code: No person shall shoot, fire, or discharge any firearms of any description; guns, air guns, air pistols, or mechanical devices that shoot or throw shot, bullets, stones, or other missiles within the city, including parks, except that this section shall not prohibit any officer of the law from discharging a firearm in the performance of such officer's official duty, nor apply to any citizen when lawfully defending such citizen's person or property from physical injury.

Trails

Lafayette Parks and Recreation maintains over 6 miles of paved (and many more unpaved) trails within the city. Our trails are open for everyone, and can be used for many activities including walking, running, biking, rollerblading, and cross country skiing. Horseback riding and motorized vehicles are not permitted on the trails. Please keep all pets leashed. Remember to respect other patrons and do not disturb animals or vegetation along the trails.

Linear Park Trail

The goal of the Linear Park Trail is to link every park and school around the city. Linear Parks provides health and fitness opportunities. A two-mile segment begins at Beck Lane and continues alongside the railroad tracks to South 18th Street and links with Armstrong Park.

Wabash Heritage Trail

When completed, the Wabash Heritage Trail will follow along the entire length of the Wabash River, stretching through 17 counties in Indiana. The Tippecanoe Co. portion is 13 miles long with 2.78 miles passing through the City of Lafayette.

Length: 13 miles.

Location: Along the Wabash River, trail-heads are located at the Big Four Depot and McAllister Park.

Surface: Paved Asphalt & Mulch.

Armstrong Park Trail

Located in Armstrong Park, the trail is convenient to many neighborhoods. This quiet, paved path winds around a scenic pond and connects to the Linear Park Trail. It is a wonderful destination for anyone wanting to add relaxation to their day.

Length: 2/3 mile.

Location: 9th Street and Beck Lane.



National Trails Day

National Trails Day will be recognized on June 4, 2016, bringing together outdoor enthusiasts of all kinds to celebrate the great natural heritage of the United States trail system. National Trails Day was established to recognize the value of recreational trails and the people involved in building and maintaining them. Visit www.lafayetteparks.org for more information about this family-friendly event!

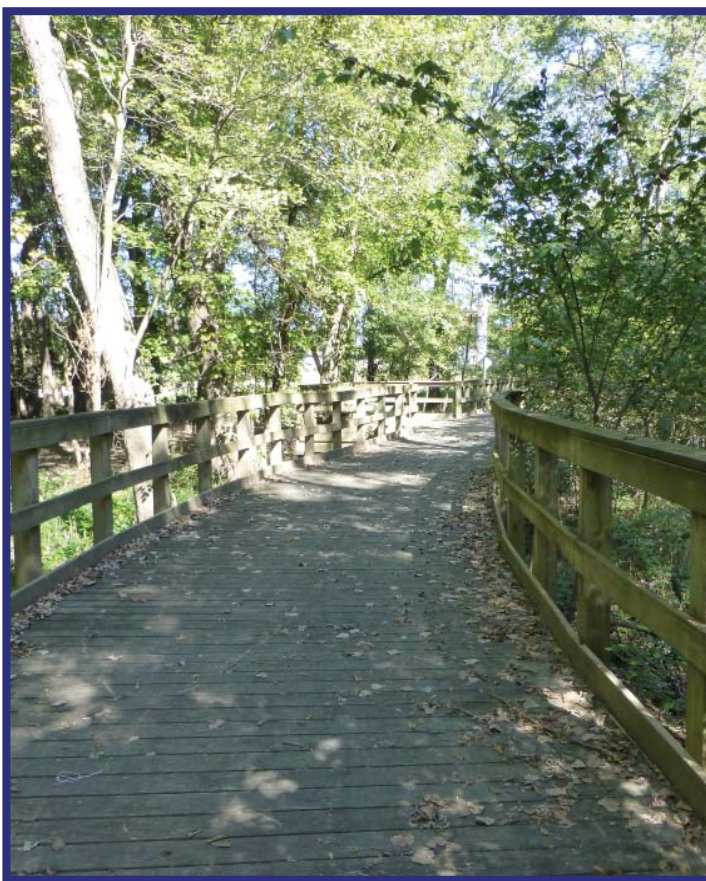
Columbian Park Trail

The Columbian Park Trail weaves in and around Columbian Park. Walkers will be entertained by the beauty of this park, the attractions, and the many people.

Length: 1.10 miles around the park, 1 mile of internal pathways.

Location: Main Street, south of SR 26.

Surface: Paved Asphalt & Sidewalk.



North 9th St. Trailhead

This is a trailhead for the North 9th Street trail and loop, as well as the Wabash Heritage Corridor. There are 10 parking spaces, three sheltered picnic tables, a kiosk and drinking fountain. The Trailhead Park contains a 5-acre native prairie and offers an excellent outdoor opportunity for those with accessibility challenges.

North 9th Street Trail

This safe path connects to the Wabash Heritage Trail and provides bikers, walkers, and runners with a great place to make a loop around the heart of the city. This trail begins at Camel Road and ends at Duncan Road, and the trail connects to the North 9th St. Trailhead Park.

Keep our Parks Clean!

All of our community park trails have dog-waste bag dispensers and receptacles for your convenience. Please clean up after your dog!

Munger Park Trail

Located in Munger Park, this unique trail is surrounded by open space to toss a frisbee or relax in the sun after walking. The trail follows a course around a pond, and has various topographic changes. Exercise is a wonderful way to get energized in the morning or relax at the end of the day.

Length: 1 mile.

Location: Entrances and Parking on East Greenbush Street and Union Street.

Surface: Paved.



Munger-Creasy Trail

This trail runs from Munger Park to North Creasy Lane under high powerlines. The trail connects to the Greenbush Street Trail.

Greenbush Street Trail

This trail segment runs from Sagamore Parkway to North Creasy Lane. The trail provides connections to the Munger Park and Munger-Greenbush Trail.

Length: .94 miles paved.

Murdock Park Urban Forest Trail

Murdock Trail travels up and down through gently rolling hills in Murdock Park. Murdock Park is one of Lafayette's few urban forest stands. Hikers will enjoy walking under the shade and have fun identifying the different trees.

Length: 0.9 miles.

Location: Entrances on N. 18th Street, N. 22nd Street, and Ferry Street.

Surface: Gravel & Mulch.

Veterans Memorial Trail

Veterans Memorial Trail runs from South 9th Street about 3 miles toward Sagamore Parkway. This trail will eventually connect to Sagamore Parkway.

Concord Road and Maple Point Trail

Concord Trail runs from Veterans Memorial Parkway to Maple Point, and from Maple Point to Sagamore Parkway.



Bond with Your Buds (or Your Kids)

Going for a hike is a great way to hang out with your friends and do something active. Bring your dogs along while you get a workout and catch up with each other. Trail hiking is great for kids, too. They'll have a blast exploring the plants, insects and animals they see. It's a family-friendly activity you can add to your "fun" list that gets everyone active!

- www.sparkpeople.com

Special Programs

Adopt-A-Spot

The purpose of the Adopt-A-Spot program is to help beautify Lafayette through the adoption and sponsorship of public areas by individuals, businesses, or organizations throughout the city. The sponsor is recognized with an attractive sign bearing the Adopt-A-Spot logo and the name of the sponsoring organization. This provides a way for businesses and organizations to promote themselves within the community. Well-maintained sites also demonstrate pride to the community.

Each sponsoring individual/organization is asked to sign a Memorandum of Understanding and Liability Waiver. The Memorandum of Understanding includes submitting a one-time \$100 contribution to add the name of the sponsor to the Adopt-A-Spot sign, as well as performing weekly maintenance of the site during the growing season and bi-weekly trash pick-up throughout the year. By signing the Waiver of Liability, the Sponsor agrees to comply with the regulations of the program, acknowledges potential hazards of the activity, and releases the City of Lafayette and Adopt-A-Spot program from any claims by the sponsor while participating in this Program.

Adopt-A-Street-Tree Program

The City of Lafayette Adopt-A-Street-Tree program helps provide shade to the city and enhances its beauty. Sponsors can sign up to receive a street tree at minimal cost from the Lafayette Parks and Recreation's Adopt-A-Street-Tree Program. This program delivers shade trees to property owners to be planted in the public right of way adjacent to their property. The program takes place each spring and fall. There is a fee of \$50 per tree. Download request forms from the Park website at www.lafayetteparks.org. Fax completed forms to (765) 807-1513. Help us help the Urban Forest!

Adopt-A-Median

The purpose of the Adopt-A-Median program is to soften the hardscape, improve our environment, and establish a sense of community pride. Landscaped medians make a tremendous difference to the welcoming appearance of the heavily traveled parkway. The annual sponsorship fee is \$500 per median. The fee includes two signs on each median that will prominently display the sponsor's name, and are easily seen by passers-by.

Why Adopt?

To advertise at a low cost, show community pride, make the parkway into Lafayette more inviting to visitors, to assist in economic development, and to improve the quality of life in Lafayette.

For more information:

Contact the Lafayette Parks and Recreation Natural Resources Coordinator at (765) 807-1500.

National Arbor Day

Founded by J. Sterling Morton in 1872, Arbor Day is celebrated on the last Friday in April. His simple idea of setting aside a special day for tree planting is now more important than ever. The City of Lafayette partners each year with Tree Lafayette for a tree planting event that celebrates Arbor Day. This year's event will be held April 30 at Columbian Park. For more info, visit tree.lafayette.org!

National Trails Day

National Trails Day will be recognized on June 4, 2016, bringing together outdoor enthusiasts of all kinds to celebrate the great natural heritage of the United States trail system. Traditionally held each year on the first Saturday in June, National Trails Day was established to recognize the value of recreational trails and the people involved in building and maintaining them. Join us for a heart-healthy nature hike for National Trails Day.



Tree of Life Memorial Program

Lafayette Parks and Recreation is excited to introduce the "Tree of Life" Memorial Program. This program is designed to allow the community to sponsor or make a dedication to a loved one by donating money to have trees planted in one of Lafayette's parks. With this donation, an engraved leaf, branch, or acorn, depending on the amount of your donation, will be placed on the "Tree of Life" sculpture located in the Columbian Park Administrative Office, and a tree will be planted and maintained by Park Staff according to the needs of the urban forest and appropriate planting season.

This is an excellent way to recognize and memorialize donations from the public. With the engraved piece, your memorial will be publicly displayed, and the tax-deductible donation will be in Park records.

This program provides a unique opportunity for citizens to take part in beautification, conservation, urban forestry, and the remembrance of a loved one. Participation in this program will allow you to honor a special person while contributing to the community and public parklands. Trees bring natural elements and wildlife habitats into urban surroundings, all of which improve the quality of life for the residents in Greater Lafayette. The Memorial Tree program commemorates the life of someone who has made a difference in the lives of others.

Please call (765) 807-1500 for more information. Forms can be downloaded on our website at www.lafayetteparks.org.

City Parks Amenities

Existing
Rental Facility
Planned Attraction

	Restrooms	Meeting Halls	Picnic Shelters	Amusement Rides	Ball Fields	Basketball	Boat Ramp	Disc Golf	Fishing	Grills	Horseshoes	Dog Park	Open Play Space	Playground (multi-age)	Playground (tot)	Roller Hockey	Sledding Hill	Soccer	Tennis	Volleyball	Trail (Miles)	Acres
Community Parks																						
1: Armstrong Park	Existing		Rental Facility		Existing	Existing			Existing	Planned Attraction			Existing	Existing					Existing		.67	26
2: CAT Park	Existing												Existing	Planned Attraction				Existing				32
3: Columbian Park	Existing	Rental Facility	Rental Facility	Existing	Existing	Existing			Existing	Existing			Existing	Existing	Existing						1.1	43
4: Lyboubt Sports Park	Existing				Existing	Existing			Existing		Existing		Existing	Existing						Existing		52
5: McAllister Park								Existing	Existing				Existing					Existing				350
6: McCaw Park	Existing		Rental Facility		Existing	Existing			Existing	Existing			Existing	Existing	Existing				Existing		Planned Attraction	26
7: Munger Park	Existing		Rental Facility						Existing	Existing			Existing	Existing	Existing						1.0	32
8: Murdock Park	Existing		Rental Facility		Existing			Existing		Existing			Existing	Existing	Existing		Existing				0.9	30
9: Shamrock Park			Rental Facility				Existing		Existing	Existing	Existing		Existing	Existing	Existing	Existing						11
Neighborhood Parks																						
10: Arlington Park			Existing			Existing								Existing					Existing			1.0
11: Centennial Park			Existing			Existing								Existing								0.5
12: Hanna Park			Existing			Existing				Existing				Existing								2.2
13: Hedgewood Park													Existing	Existing								1.0
14: Kennedy Park													Existing	Existing				Existing				7.0
15: Linwood Park			Existing			Existing							Existing	Existing								0.5
16: North Darby Park						Existing							Existing	Existing								0.8
17: South Tipp Park			Existing			Existing							Existing	Existing								0.8
18: Sterling Heights Park			Existing										Existing	Existing								0.5
19: Stockton Park			Existing										Existing	Existing								0.5
Recreation Center																						
McAllister Center	Existing	Rental Facility	Existing		Existing	Existing				Planned Attraction			Existing	Existing				Existing				7.0
	Restrooms	Meeting Halls	Picnic Shelters	Amusement Rides	Ball Fields	Basketball	Boat Ramp	Disc Golf	Fishing	Grills	Horseshoes	Dog Park	Open Play Space	Playground (multi-age)	Playground (tot)	Roller Hockey	Sledding Hill	Soccer	Tennis	Volleyball	Trail (Miles)	Acres



Building Rentals

Reservation Information

Scheduling a reservation is easy!

We have two options for reserving a shelter or facility:

1. Call the Parks Office at (765) 807-1500 and reserve over the phone with a credit/debit card.
2. Visit the Parks Office at 1915 Scott Street in Lafayette any time Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm (excluding holidays - page 1) and reserve with cash, check, or credit/debit card.

The full amount is due at the time of reservation. Rush Pavilion, Jenks' Rest, and McAllister Park Clubhouse rentals will include a \$100 refundable deposit.

Reservations may be placed 365 days in advance. (excluding Depot, Pedestrian Bridge, and Riehle Plaza rentals).

Rush Pavilion

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Rush Pavilion was dedicated in 1899. Rush Pavilion is the perfect setting for organizational or private group meetings. The meeting room can accommodate up to 50 people and includes a full-service kitchen. The building features a beautiful wrap-around porch that overlooks the lagoon. Located in Columbian Park off Scott Street, the Rush Pavilion has ample parking adjacent to the building. The facility is available for rent seven days a week (excluding major holidays). Rental hours are from 11:00am-4:00pm, and 5:00pm-10:00pm.

Fees: \$200 for one five hour block, or \$400 for the whole day, plus a \$100 refundable deposit.
Available for weekday meeting rental Monday-Friday for \$40 per hour (2 hour minimum rental).



Jenks' Rest

The Jenks' Rest meeting room can accommodate up to 75 people and includes access to a full-service kitchen. Jenks' Rest is available Friday evenings from 5:00pm-10:00pm, and Saturdays and Sundays from 11:00am-4:00pm, and 5:00pm-10:00pm.

Fees: \$150 for one five hour block, or \$300 for the whole day, plus a \$100 refundable deposit.

McAllister Park Clubhouse

The McAllister Park Clubhouse can accommodate up to 50 people and includes access to a full-service kitchen. Rental hours are from 11:00am-4:00pm, and 5:00pm-10:00pm.

Fees: \$135 for one five hour block, or \$270 for the whole day, plus a \$100 refundable deposit.

McAllister Recreation Center

All activity room rentals include tables, chairs, and kitchenette access. Rooms at McAllister rent for \$40 for two hours, or \$85 for five hours. Call 765-807-1360 to make your reservation.

McAllister North Activity Rooms

The North Activity wing is designed for general community use. Neighborhood associations, not-for-profit groups, and private businesses can utilize the north wing to meet their needs. Group meeting planners will appreciate the convenience of in-room dry erase boards, and on-site audio/visual equipment.

McAllister South Activity Rooms

The South Activity wing features a kid-friendly environment that no one can resist! The bright colors and pint-sized furniture make this section of the building fun and exciting for everyone! The south rooms are perfect for children's birthday parties.

Big Four Depot

The Big Four Depot Community Room located in Riehle Plaza is the perfect location for any occasion hosting 80-90 people. This treasured building was built in 1902. In 1994, as part of the Railroad Relocation Project, it was moved to the plaza site. The Depot was restored and rededicated in 1995 as the centerpiece of James F. Riehle Plaza.

The Big Four Depot Community Room is available from 8:00am-2:00pm For \$250, 4:00pm-10:00pm for \$350, or \$400 for 8:00am-10:00pm.

Memorial Island

In Columbian Park, the amphitheater on Memorial Island can be rented for the day. The fee is \$100.00. Contact the Parks Office at (765) 807-1500 for details.

Shelter Rentals

Picnic Shelters

Lafayette Parks and Recreation has the perfect picnic shelter for your next family reunion or group function. Columbian Park houses 18 shelters, and 7 shelters are available in our community parks. Make shelter reservations by calling (765) 807-1500.

Columbian Park Shelters

Most shelters have access to electricity and charcoal grills.

Shelter Name	Seating	Price
Orange*	50	\$35
Purple*	100	\$50
Green	50	\$60
Yellow - 1	50	\$60
Yellow - 2	50	\$60
Yellow - 3	100	\$100
Red - 1	75	\$75
Red - 2	75	\$75
Red - 3	75	\$75
Red - 4	75	\$75
Blue - 1	50	\$60
Blue - 2	50	\$60
Blue - 3	50	\$60
Blue - 4	50	\$60
Blue - 5	100	\$100
Brown - 1	100	\$100
Brown - 2	75	\$75
Brown - 3	75	\$75

*no electricity is available in these shelters

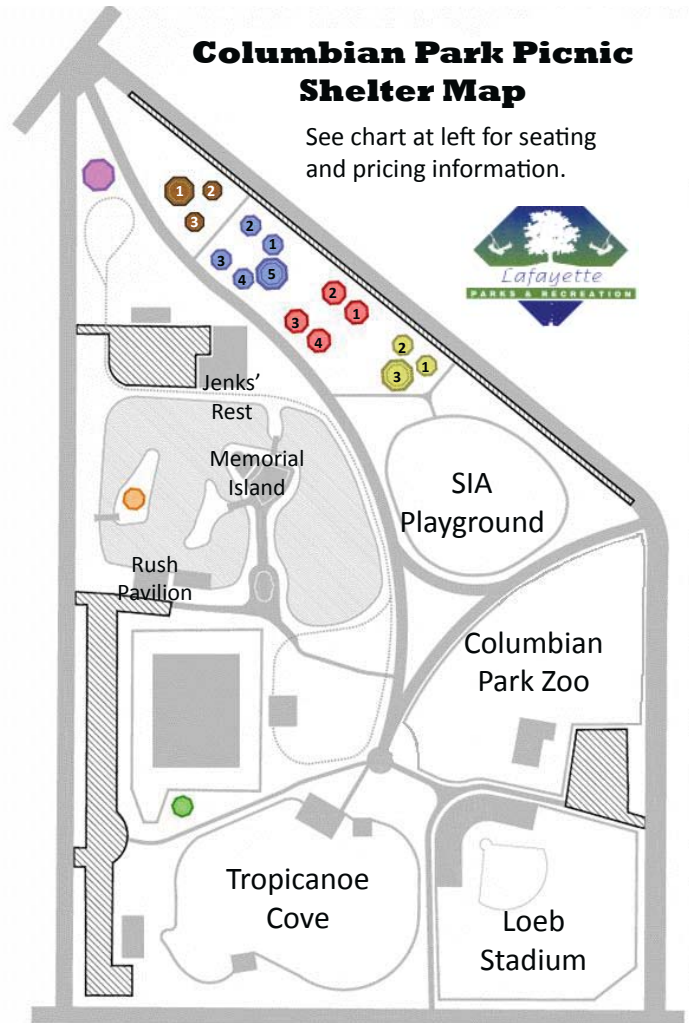
Community Park Picnic Shelters

Many community park shelters offer access to electricity and charcoal grills.

Park	Location	Seating	Price
Armstrong Park	By Softball Fields	50	\$50
McCaw Park	By Tennis Courts	50	\$30
McCaw Park	By Playground	50	\$30
Munger Park	Off of Greenbush	100	\$50
Murdock Park	By Restrooms	50	\$50
Murdock Park	By Playground	50	\$30
Shamrock Park	Near Entrance	50	\$30

Columbian Park Picnic Shelter Map

See chart at left for seating and pricing information.



Looking for other parks in our area? Contact the county or West Lafayette parks departments:
 Tippecanoe County Parks and Recreation:
 (765) 463-2306
 West Lafayette Parks and Recreation:
 (765) 775-5110



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